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The Prettiest Neckwear For Men at 50c You Ever Saw.

Couldn't begin to describe these exquisite creations in detail, but they're in Persian, light, dark and all-over effect silks—made up into four-in-hands, squares, necks, and other shapes—the most fetching combination of colors and qualities we have ever had at this price.

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"Don't Believe Fountain Pens Are Any Good."

Common thing to hear a man say that—and there's cause for it very often. There will not be if you use one of A. A. Watermans automatic self-filling Fountain Pens.

We have them on sale in the stationery department. We'll explain the simple working of the pen if you stop in the store for a moment. Old fountain pens (any make) taken in exchange.

"Arnold's" Knit Goods For Infants, Children and Ladies.

"Arnold's" make of Underwear, Night Robes and Lounging Robes is pretty generally known as one of the best made.

Mrs. Gammon of the "Arnold" Company will begin an exhibition of these goods this morning in our underwear section on the second floor.

One visit we think will convince you as to the superior qualities of these goods.

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SEE OUR ADVERTISEMENT ON THE WOMAN'S PAGE OF THIS EVENING'S NEWS LEADER.

SOME HIGH PRICES FOR TOBACCOES

Farmers Very Well Satisfied
With Prices They Get
Here.

The sales on the Richmond tobacco market yesterday were made notable by a further advance in the prices. The tone of the market was unusually firm and the figures were better than ever before this season. The farmers appeared very well pleased with what they got.

The receipts have fallen off considerably in the past few days, owing mainly to unfavorable weather. A good season would pour a lot of tobacco into the city. It is believed that the farmers will now be willing to bring the stuff if they get a reasonable price. The price on bright tobacco has also advanced slightly. This change to the dealers is a very undesirable one. They are stocked up with tobacco and it is absolutely essential that the next crop be a small one, which will not be the case if an advancing price catches the eye of the planter. A prominent Richmond dealer said a few days ago that a big crop next year would break half the trade.

Dr. Witherspoon's Seventh Year.
With to-morrow morning's service at Grace Street Presbyterian Church, Dr. Witherspoon, as pastor, begins his seventh year. Dr. Witherspoon left a large church, receiving a large salary, in Baltimore to answer a call, and take

"CAN 'GO' NOW

Was Formerly Robbed of Her Energy by Coffee.
The wife of a Virginia clergyman tells her coffee story thus: "One year ago I was a wreck, only able to be up a part of the time, and dragging myself around the house."

"My skin looked like a dead hickory leaf, no appetite, weight 115 pounds, no energy and I suffered most of the time with most dreadful headaches or nervous chills or spasms and could not bear the least excitement. "At one time my left hand was drawn to my shoulder, and for nine days could not be moved away, and I had often laid for six to eight weeks under the care of the best physicians. I had been like this for six years, and it seemed a cure could not be effected, and I could not get any temporary relief. My case was pronounced nervousness, but that was as far as we got."

"At this time I had been a slave to coffee, thought I could not live without drinking three to five cups a day, although my husband used to beg me to give it up, and give Postum a trial. But I always put him off with 'O, I don't think I'll like it, it will do me no good.' "He was so persistent I finally decided to try Postum, although I thought the very idea of a good coffee made from cereals was absurd."

"At first I did not like it so very well, but soon found it was not boiled long enough to make it good; after a few days the terrible headaches disappeared, and I felt so full of energy I was astonished. I grew to love Postum, and have used it continually since then, and words can never express the good it has done me. I never know what it is to have a headache; have not had a nervous attack for eleven months; now weigh 125-130; my complexion is clear, and my friends say I never looked so well. I do not suffer a day's sickness, and can do all my house work. Just think, that for six years I spent more than half my time in bed, never able to keep up more than a few days at a time, and all that suffering came from coffee."

"My restored health seems to me almost miraculous, but I know there is nothing miraculous about it, just common sense from giving up coffee, and giving Postum a fair trial, and I don't hesitate to tell my friends all about it."

"I have a baby girl two years old who for the past year has used Postum in her bottle instead of milk. She is a large healthy child, and if we give her milk she will land it back and cry for Postum. My husband also has been greatly benefited by Postum, and nowadays we never have coffee in our house, but you will always find plenty of Postum in the pantry." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

THE DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS FAILED

Members do Not Wish to Tamper
With the New Constitution Yet.

The Democratic legislative caucus, called for 3 o'clock last night to consider the expediency of pressing for passage at this session the two constitutional amendments introduced months ago, failed to materialize, there being but forty-one of the one hundred and twenty members present.

The meeting was called to take action along the line of outlining the policy of the majority party in the General Assembly on the question of pressing for passage at this session two amendments to the new Constitution, one providing that commissioners of the revenue shall be eligible to re-election; the other designed to maintain the present holdover feature of the State Senate, which the new Constitution abolishes. At an earlier stage of the session both amendments appeared to have a strong following. Accordingly when a call for a caucus was circulated, and sixty-nine members signed the call, the friends of the amendments were very much encouraged.

Last night, however, when Secretary Hines had completed the roll-call and announced the presence of but forty-one members, fewer than a quorum, the movement to vote on the amendments at this term melted away. As the members left the hall many expressed themselves as glad of the failure of the effort to amend the Constitution at this time. Many were heard to say that they thought the new instrument should be given a trial of at least a few years before attempts were made to amend it.

Of the forty-one present, fully a third, if not more, were opposed to action on the amendments at this session. There is no doubt that the amendments will be heard of no more at this session.

PREPARE FOR CHRISTMAS AT CITY ALMSHOUSE

Mrs. Landon Tucker's musical class, assisted by Mrs. George H. Richardson and Messrs. Fred and Christian Evensen gave an enjoyable entertainment. In the Sunshine Room at the almshouse last night. An attractive programme was given, and the music was a delightful diversion for the inmates. Superintendent Davis on his own and the inmates' behalf, cordially thanked those who had contributed so effectively to brightening the lives of those who make their homes in this institution.

Superintendent George B. Davis is arranging for the annual Christmas entertainment to be given at the almshouse on December 28th. He states that some of the best professional and amateur musical and educational talent of the city has been enlisted, and the programme, which will consist of instrumental and vocal selections and recitations, will be one of the best ever given on a similar occasion. The public are invited to share the pleasure of the evening with its special beneficiaries.

LEE CAMP THANKS THE VETERANS OF AUBURN

Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, held its regular meeting last night at its hall with a very gratifying attendance of members. The meeting was a very satisfactory one.

Among other things ordered by the camp was the preparation and dispatch of a suitable letter of thanks to Sewell and Crocker Post, G. A. R., and the Ladies' Relief Association of Auburn, N. Y., as a mark of the appreciation on the part of the camp of the courtesies and entertainment rendered by the latter organization. Colonel Murphy, while traveling with his bride, recently, Col. Murphy was tendered a brilliant reception, and was made the recipient of marked honors at the hands of the Grand Army posts named, and the auxiliary thereto. The action of the camp last night is a grateful and generous acknowledgment of the friendly good feeling manifested by the Auburn veterans.

Steamboat Case.

In the United States Circuit Court yesterday argument was resumed and concluded on the exceptions to the report of Special Master Ernest M. Landon in the matter of the application for injunction by the People's Steamboat Company vs. the People's Steamboat Company, and on the merits of the case. The People's Steamboat Company is asking an injunction to restrain the People's Company from using its docks and piers, which are either owned or leased by the latter company. The People's Company, in answer to the petition, has filed a demurrer, and the respondent, respectively, closed the argument of the case. Judge Wadswold, in his opinion, took the matter under advisement and will render his opinion at a later date.

Captain Opie's Book.

Captain John N. Opie, member of the Senate from the city of Staunton, has just received a letter from the Neale Publishing Company, of New York and Washington, D. C., asking him to write the story of his military career. Captain Opie, in answering the letter, writes Captain Opie, characterizing the story as "a splendid piece of work."

Captain Opie some years ago published a volume of stories, saving of war romance, called "The Cavalryman." This work had a wide circulation and was favorably commented upon by the reviewers.

To Increase Plant.

The Standard Paper Manufacturing Company, whose plant is located in Manchester, a short distance below the southern end of Mayo's bridge, has found it necessary to have more accommodations. Sufficient ground has been obtained for the erection of a considerable addition to the present manufactory. The proposed structure is to be two stories high and 200 feet long, with a proportionate depth.

Mr. Jones to Preach.

Dr. Plummer F. Jones, of the senior church of Union Theological Seminary, will preach to-morrow morning and night in the Presbyterian Church, in Charlottesville, Va. Mr. Jones has regular charge of the churches of the Seminary at Charlottesville and Arden, and visits each of these churches every month. It is expected that he will accept permanent charge of these churches after his graduation next May.

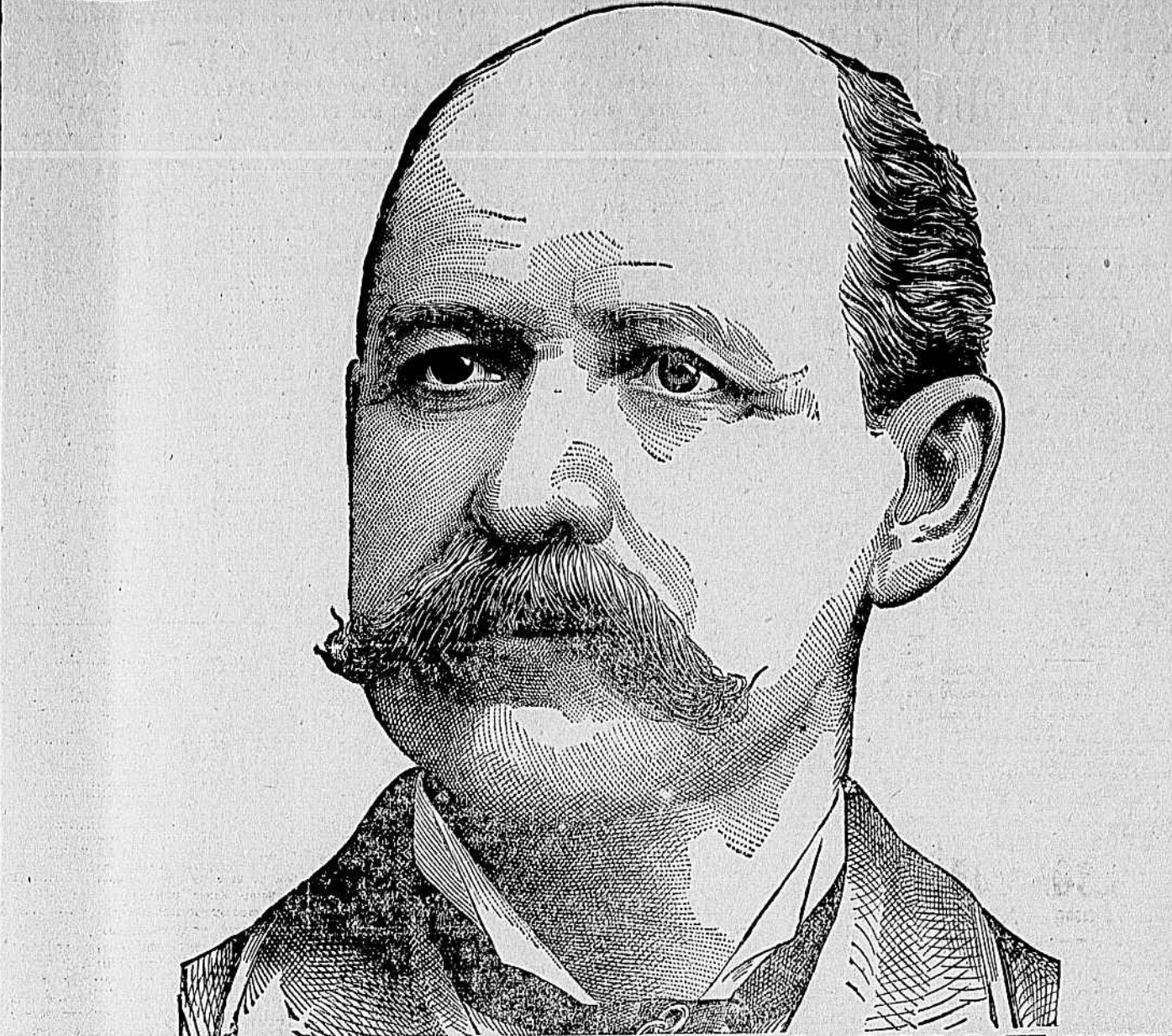
IS YOUR COAT DUSTY?

You Probably Have the White Scab of Dandruff on It.

If your coat or shoulders have a white dust upon it, the chances are that it is from dandruff. The only way to permanently cure dandruff is to remove the cause, which is a germ. Neutrogena (the only skin medicine) will do this. It should have such a hair-dressing that contains also the destroyer of the dandruff and hair falling germ. It stops all irritation, keeps the scalp sweet, pure and wholesome. Remember that something claimed to be "just as good," will do the work of genuine Neutrogena. Sold by leading druggists. Send for stamps for sample to The Neutrogena Co., Detroit, Mich. "Owens & Minor Drug Co., Special Agent."

Memorial Services.

The midweek service of Immanuel Baptist Church to be held at the Cavalry Armory next Wednesday night will be in the nature of a memorial to Rev. W. Y.



W. L. DOUGLAS \$3.50 SHOE WORTH \$5.00.

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W. L. Douglas makes and sells more men's Goodyear Welt (hand-sowed process) \$3.50 shoes than any other manufacturer in the world.

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THE BI-COUNTY W.C.T.U. CONVENTION

An Interesting Meeting Held
Yesterday at Union Station Church.

The Henric-King William Christian Convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union Convention met at Union Station Church yesterday. Mrs. G. M. Johnson, county president, presiding. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Carrie Wall, president of Lee Cook Y. The report of the committee on credentials showed sixty delegates present. There was an address of welcome by Miss Bessie Hechler.

The morning session was largely taken up in amendments to the by-laws and constitution.

At the noon hour prayer was offered by Dr. John Hannon, who also made a fine speech, in which he commended in glowing terms the work of the W. C. T. U.

The afternoon session was opened with the singing of the hymn, "My Hope is the Slinging of the Hymn," and there was prayer by Mrs. W. B. Lee.

Rev. Mr. Maxey, pastor of the church, welcomed the convention to his church.

Dr. Gay, of Church Hill, read a paper on "Non-Alcoholic Medication," which was received with a rising vote of thanks.

Professor S. C. Mitchell, of Richmond College, was present and gave a fine address, in which he stated that he considered "the passage of the Mann bill largely due to the influence of the members of the work of the Anti-Saloon League, which convenes in this city next month, from the 12th to the 14th."

Reports from the superintendents of the different departments showed much work done.

Mrs. L. M. Burgess, as superintendent of dress work, spoke of several cases of pledges signed, and considered the pressure of the greatest helpers to the temperance work.

The county president, Mrs. Johnson, gave a most interesting account of the national convention of the W. C. T. U., which was held in Cincinnati, and reported 7,000 members gained in the last year.

The entire membership of the W. C. T. U. for the United States is 357,000.

Miss Julia Bickers and Mrs. Puller, superintendents of Loyal Temperance Legion, were present with a large delegation of juveniles, who rendered a fine programme, consisting of music, singing and recitations. Master Aleck Taylor gave a beautiful recitation.

Mrs. Julia Small and Miss Lora Burgess, committee on resolutions, read a most interesting account of the national convention of the W. C. T. U., which was held in Cincinnati, and reported 7,000 members gained in the last year.

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Supreme Court.

Proceedings of the Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows: White Hall Company vs. Hall. Argued by F. C. Moon for appellee and by S. S. P. Patton for appellant and submitted.

Hancock vs. White Hall Tobacco Warehouse Company. Argued by F. C. Moon for appellee and by S. S. P. Patton for appellant and continued.

Next cases to be called: Fidelity and Deposit Company, of Maryland vs. Beale, Judge of the Circuit Court, Richmond Traction Company vs. Williams.

Morlen vs. Norfolk & Atlantic Terminal Company.

Charters Granted.

The following charters have been granted by the Corporation Commission: Porter-Cowper Company (Inc.), Norfolk; L. A. Cowper, president; capital stock, \$5,000.

The Four Company (Inc.), Norfolk; C. R. Carver, president; capital stock, \$10,000 to \$20,000.

The Kanawha Fuel Company, a corporation of West Virginia, was authorized to do business in this State.

Broadus Memorial.

At Broadus Memorial Church the pastor, Rev. H. P. Stoeley, will conduct an evangelistic service Sunday night, subject, "God Loves You—Some Evidence." Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bailes will sing. The morning service will be "How Long Does Salvation by Faith Last?"

Saved by His Record.

In the case of J. W. Booker Robertson, charged in the United States District Court yesterday with sending an obscene letter through the mails, the prisoner confessed his guilt and asked for the clemency of the court, stating that he was an old man and a Confederate veteran. Judge Wadswold thereupon suspended sentence in the case.

Pay Poll Taxes.

The registered voters have but nine days left in which to pay their poll taxes, in order that they may participate in elections next year.

The city treasurer's office at the City Hall is open daily for the receipt of these taxes from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. The time expires on December 15th.

THERE IS A DIFFERENCE

The difference between good engraving and poor amounts to but few cents in price, but in satisfaction the difference is considerable, and it is worth something to know that your engraving is done right. Come in and talk with us regarding wedding invitations, visiting cards and the like. Or a few suggestions for crest or monogram for your writing paper might interest you. A box of paper, with monogram, or visiting cards engraved in latest styles would be a good Christmas gift.

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HENRY M'HARG, JR., UNDER OPERATION

Millionaire's Son Injured While
Working in His Father's
Iron Mines.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STAMFORD, CONN., Dec. 4.—Henry K. M'harg, Jr., who, though son of a millionaire, went to work as a laborer in one of his father's iron mines, underwent a delicate operation Thursday at his parental home, on Strawberry Hill.

The operation was for the relief of a injury to his back, received while working in the mine. It was performed by specialists from New York, with the assistance of Dr. Pierson and two other local surgeons.

At Mr. M'harg's home it was said to-night that his youth was doing nicely, and a speedy recovery was looked for.

Young M'harg is tall and powerful for his years. When he went to work in the mines for \$1.50 per day to learn the business from the bottom up, friends said he would quit soon. But he liked it, and made rapid progress.

From early morning until 6 at night he worked as a laborer. At night he took off his overalls, donned evening dress and took part in such social gaiety as Hartford, Conn., affords.

This went on through last winter. M'harg took a brief vacation in the summer, but went back to the mines after it, to work harder than ever. One day just before Thanksgiving he was at work about a big machine when something gave way in his back. He suffered much from the injury, but, boy-like, paid little attention to it. When he came home for Thanksgiving his condition was so serious that an operation was decided upon.

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Revival Services.

The revival services at Calvary Baptist Church, in which the pastor, Dr. West C. Bruner, was aided by Rev. C. C. Bruner, of Washington, have resulted in a great spiritual awakening in the church and community.

Young men have been heard of all who heard him. Dr. Bruner will preach Sunday, both morning and night. His morning subject will be "The Master's Call"; night, "The Tragedy of the Plotting Politician." The fourth in the series on "Five Great Tragedies of the Bible."

A Mad Dog.

A small fox terrier dog, belonging to Willard M. Jesse of Cedar Fortis, is said to have gone mad. The child of Mr. Jesse, who was bitten and Mr. W. H. Combes was twice bitten, and Mrs. W. H. Combes was also attacked. As yet the animal has not been brought down, although many are anxious to get it. Much uneasiness is felt in behalf of those who were attacked.

Fell in a Fit.

A well known young man fell in a fit in the corridor of the city postoffice yesterday about 8 o'clock, while many were going to mail letters. A spectator went to his assistance and held his teeth apart to prevent his biting his tongue in the violence of the paroxysm. The man soon spent himself, and the young man was assisted to his home by friends. He is subject to such attacks.

Judgments Rendered.

In the Circuit Court yesterday judgments were rendered in the following cases: J. S. Moore vs. L. R. Crow, \$191.14. The Watt-Plow Company vs. W. C. Wilcox, \$50. In the case of R. A. Patterson vs. the Passenger and Power Company the jury found for the plaintiff for \$3.50, and a found for the defendant as to costs and continued.

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